AMONG THE BOWLERS "No Eye Like the

INDIVIDUAL AND TEAM STANDING UP TO DATE.

First Series of the Bowling League Schedule Ended Last Week-Kansas Citys and Missouris Tied for First Place.

Lat weak robot the fort series of the schedule of the Kennac City bowling Longes, and the runs show the Kennac City and the heating Missouris are tied for Editions. City and the heating Missouris are tied to the Sanasa City and the heating Missouris are tied on the City of the Missouris and the Miss Last week ended the first series of the schedule of the Kansas City Bowling League, and the race shows an interesting grouping of the teams. The champion Kansas Citys and the hustling Missouris are tied for men from the Postal and Western Union offices, who took to the game for the exercise. That league did not revive and the more ambitious of the members joined the big league, through the Electric team. They could make no showing whatever against the other teams and a reorganization was deemed necessary and was effected by the withdrawal of four and the substitution of men who were considered able to cut a large figure in the league. So far the change has been of no benefit in advancing the team to a better position, but the team's record has been much improved and it will not continue to be an unbroken series of defeats for them very long.

The old Telegraphers' league has been revived and the ex-Electrics have joined it. It is to be hoped their disappointing experience in the big league will not discourage any future desire on their part to try it again. Could they have reconciled their disappointing experience in the big league will not discourage any future desire on their part to try it again. Could they have reconciled their disappointing experience in the big league will not discourage any future desire on their part to try it again. Could they have reconciled their disappointing experience in the big league will not discourage any future desire on their part to try it again. Could they have reconciled their disappointing experience that they can gain in no other way. The league would conserve the best interests if it would adhere to the idea of en Scanshie of the first of the Kanasa City team, has a strong lead over all others for the high individual average, being 12 points ahead of his nearest compelitor, and unless he goes lame in some particular before the season is over, that position might just as well be considered pre-empted with no one to rightfully dispute his claim. Interest must then be transferred to the race for second place, which is now held by Barse, of the Acmes, who is just as avanable of maintaining the position as either of the

mark before the season is over.

Lord, the former king, never comes on the alleys
except at club rolls and while he ought to be among
the leaders he is occupying his present unsatisfactory
position solely from lack of practice.

Hackett has been very unfortunate also in splits,
having averaged over seven to a game. He is far
below the figure that ought to designate his position
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below the agest the first the race. Of the new men who have entered the tournament roll this year, Laning has made the best showing and occupies a satisfactory position. Voght leads him by a good margin, but "Tony" has made his appearance before, having bowled a few games with the man first organized.

by a good margin, but "Tony" has made his appearance before, having bowled a few games with the Missouris when they were first organized.

Dunlop, who carries the last banner in the procession, is not only new to the league, but to the game as well, for this is only his second season. He is ambitious and if he gathers confidence with experience will make good progress at the game.

A noticeable feature of the table of individual averages in the wide difference in the standing of the first ten men. Between Clark and Allen, first and tenth, a difference of fifty-two pins average per game. Two years ago the bowlers appeared in the table of averages in gradual order of decline and more than a duzen were over the 500 mark. Is there a real decline in the standard of bowling? It is very hard to answer the question rightly. Perhaps had the old Owl team remained in the league four or five of the members would have figured among the first ten. A partial excuse for the diminished percentages of the bowlers can be offered in the fact that two games have been rolled by each team on the Armory alleys, which are used for the first time this year by the league. With very few exceptions these alleys were strange to the bowlers and the balls had finger grips that were quite different to the ones they had become familiar with on the Brunswick. This difference necessitated a change in the style of delivery of even such expert bowlers as Farley and McMinamin, and, in consequence, neither of these men were improved in their records by the new alleys. Whatever influenced to their detriment was apt to become even more pronounced in the case of more uncertain bowlers. The coming

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No. Name. Ciub. Games. Strikes. Sparos. Missen. Totals.

1 C. Clark, K. C. 5 38 38 13 525

2 Barse. Aeme 4 29 58 10 502

3 Dibblic, Mo 5 28 71 18 496

4 Wilson, Mo 5 27 87 18 496

5 C. Kling, Aeme. 5 28 67 22 486

6 McMinimin, K. C. 5 35 69 21 485

7 Cheek, Mo 6 31 72 16 473

8 Voght. Eagles 5 34 73 21 473

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10 Allen, Exchange 4 25 55 20 477

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12 Liadlaw, Mo 3 15 49 16 49

13 Hurst, Eagles 5 25 79 25 462

14 Laning, Exchange 4 27 54 19 467

15 Li King, Eagles 5 25 79 25 462

16 McLeod, Exchange 5 29 70 28 462

17 McLeod, Exchange 5 29 70 28 462

18 Hoffmaster, Ex 4 21 61 20 468

19 Hoffmaster, Ex 4 21 61 20 468

20 Taylor, Electrics 2 10 28 11 49

21 Ele Clark, Eagles 2 21 45 15 49

22 Makepace, Mo 2 29 35 18 45

23 Porteous, Mo 3 29 35 18 45

24 Lord, K. C. 5 28 56 25 45

25 Kaster, Electrics 2 10 28 11 49

25 Harkett, K. C. 5 15 50 42

26 Harkett, K. C. 5 15 50 42

27 Harkett, Eagles 4 22 51 29

38 Mills, Aeme 4 15 51 24

42 Dunlap, Flectrics 5 21 65

23 Dunlap, Flectrics 5 21 65

24 Lord, R. C. 5 28

25 Harkett, K. C. 5 15 50 42

26 Harkett, K. C. 5 15 50 42

27 Harkett, Eagles 6 25 45

28 Mills, Aeme 4 15 51 24

28 Mills, Aeme 5 14 41

28 Dunlap, Flectrics 5 21 65

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While the Missouris and Kansas Citys are tied for first place, an anaylais of the above table will abow that in the various departments of the game the Missouris have the advantage, except in that of strikes. The difference in the spare work of the two teams, however, is very marked, and in conjunction with a compartment of the misses, tells very plainly that the Missouris have so far much the best showing of any of the teams. While the Exchange are fifth in the table of percentages, their record shows much better than the Acuess, and is some evidence that

the second series: ARMORY ALLEYS. cember 11—Kansas Citys vs. Missouris. cember 12—Eagles vs. Exchanges. cember 12—Acmes vs. Electrics. BRUNSWICK ALLEYS. ther 19—Kanaga Citye vs. Electrics, ther 20—Across vs. Exchanges, ther 21—Missouris vs. Eagles. ARMORY ALLEYS. January 5-Acmes vs. Kansas Citya. January 5-Missouris vs. Eschanges. January 10-Eagles vs. Electrics. BRUNSWICK ALLEYS. 16-Missouria va. Electrica. 17-Acmes va. Eagles. 18-Kansas Citys va. Exchanges.

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control in again. Could they have reconciled their differences and remained in the league they would have emerged from the contest at the end of the season with a fund of experience that they can gain in no other way. The league would conserve the best interests if it would adhere to the idea of encouragement to embryo bowiers.

Charlie Clark, of the Kansas City team, has a strong lead over all others for the high individual average, being 22 points ahead of his nearest competitor, and unless he goes lame in some particular as well be considered pre-empted with no one to rightfully dispute his claim. Interest must then be transferred to the race for second place, which is now held by Barse, of the Acmes, who is just a capable of maintaining the position as either of the four men next to him who at present can be considered in the men can be only competitors.

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Tapforan Bacon. 113, Colla, Scotla, Wandering Minstrel, Deponan, Colla, Silver, Silver Conn, 118; Julis Rose, 110; Ben Chance, 113.

Third race—Selling 1 mile and 20 yards. Prospero, Harry Preston, 52; Miss Dooley, 58; Etidorphia, 190: Dr. Withrow, 192; Jennie F. Forbush, Cood Order, Samiva, The Erewer, Chantilly, 192; Everest, 194; Jos Shelby, Elidad, Ludignton Pirate, 105; Samiva, The Erewer, Chantilly, 192; Everest, 194; Jos Shelby, Elidad, Ludignton Pirate, 195; Samiva, The Erewer, Chantilly, 192; Everest, 194; Jos Shelby, Elidad, Ludignton Pirate, 195; Samiva, The Erewer, Chantilly, 192; Everest, 194; Jos Shelby, Elidad, Ludignton Pirate, 195; Samiva, The Erewer, Chantilly, 192; Everest, 194; Jos Shelby, Elidad, Ludignton Pirate, 195; Samiva, The Erewer, Chantilly, 192; Everest, 194; Jos Shelby, Elidad, Ludignton Pirate, 195; Samiva, The Erewer, Chantilly, 192; Everest, 194; Jos Shelby, Elidad, Ludignton Pirate, 195; Samiva, The Erewer, Chantilly, 192; Everest, 194; Jos Shelby, Elidad, Ludignton Pirate, 195; Samiva, The Erewer, Chantilly, 192; Everest,

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 9.-Weather clear, track SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—Weather clear, track fast at Tanforan. Summaries:
First race—Handicap: 5 furiongs. St. Casimir, 196 (Vittatoe). 2 to 1, wor; Decoy. 197 (Spencer). 6 to 1, second: Yellow Tail, 118 (Jones), 7 to 10, third. Time. 1:0314.
Second race—Selling: 5 furiongs. Racivan, 194 (Bergen). 7 to 5, won; Zorich, 194 (Bullman), 3½ to 1, second: Romany, 191 (Bensen), 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:0314.
Third race—Selling: 11-16 miles. Imperious, 194 (Jones), 3½ to 1, won; Tom Calvert, 34 (Postel), 12 to 1, second: Dairy F. 193 (Vittatos) 4 to 5, third.

to 1, second; Daisy F., 103 (Vittatoe), 4 to 5, third. Time, 1.52.

Pitth race—Hurdle handicap; 1½ miles. Granger, 155 (Glover), 8 to 5, won; Major S., 115 (Rouillier), 5 to 1, second: Rossmore, 123 (Mattler), 3 to 1, third. Time, 2:27.

Pitth race—Spring Valley stakes; 1½ miles. Zoroaster, 115 (Spencer), 2½ to 1, won; Sliver Tone, 104 (Jones), 8 to 1, second: Jennle Reed, 106 (Devin), 4 to 1, third. Time, 2:12.

Sixth race—Handicap: 7 furious. Anjou, 97 (Waizh), 3 to 1, won; Hohencollern, 104 (Ross), 6 to 1, second; Rosermonde, 115 (Spencer), 9 to 5, third. Time, 1:205. ENTRIES FOR MONDAY.

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First race—Selling; & furlongs. Pongo, Hobenlobe, 115; Duke of York II., Tom Smith, Miss Soak, 112; My Dear, Croker, White Fern. Oymoma. Blooming Chance. St. Isidor, R. Puria, 107; Cacsar Young, Urchin, 87; Tom Sharkey, Lelpsig, March Seren, Sisquoc, 86.

Second race—1% miles; selling, Meadowthrope, 113; Rapida, Alicia, 107; Ledsea Owyhee, Espionage, 101; Deffance, 96; Stuttgart, 38; Strome, 98.

Third race—5 furlongs; purse; 2-year-olds. Giro, Tar Hill, F. W. Brode, Constellation, 106; Seiska, Rasetto, Sardine, Juketto, Silver Tail, Antoinette, 166; Behard, 100.

Fourth race—1 mile; Owner's handicap. Napamax, 105; Timemaker, 105; Geiser, 105; Dr. Nembula, 106; Lothian, 100. 165; Timemaker, 105; Gener, 105, Dr. Schmona, 105 Lothian, 169.

Fifth race-1 mile; selling, Dare II., 112; Meadow Lark, 109; Inverary II., 109; Tom Cromwell, 107; Metrops, 98.

Slith race-11-16 mile; purse. Silver Maid, 112; Geiser, 167; Sister Alice, 132; Lady Heloise, 102; Ventoro, 39; Yellow Tail, 95; Southern Girl, 92.

Brooklyn Jockey Club Stakes.

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The Brooklyn handicap of \$10,000, \$200 each, half, forfelt, or only \$15 if Seclared by February 20. To the winner \$5,000, to second \$1,500 and third \$500; a sixteenth.

The Myrtle stakes, \$1,000 added; selling allowances; one mile and a sixteenth. one mile and a sixteenth.

The Patchogue stakes, \$1,000 added; selling allowance; six furlongs.

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The Broadway stakes, \$1,500 added; one mile and a

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The May stakes, \$1,000 added; selling allowances;

six turiongs.

FOR 2-YEAR-OLDS.

The Clover stakes of \$2,000 for fillies; four and one-half furlongs.

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The Bedford stakes, \$1,000 added; selling allowances; four and one-half furiongs.

STEEPLECHASE AND HURDLE STAKES.

The Grand National steeplechase handleap, for 4-year-olds and upward, \$1,000 each, half forfelt, or only \$25 fit declared by 2 p. m. on the day preceding the race, with \$5,000 added, of which \$2,500 is contributed by gentlemen interested in steeplechasing and \$2,500 by the Brooklyn Jockey Club, of which \$1,000 goes to the second and \$500 to the third; weights to be announced five days before the race; full course, about two and a half miles.

The Greater New York steeplechase handleap of \$500, for 4-year-olds and upward; tull course, about two miles and a half.

The Kensington hurdle handleap of \$1,500, for 4-year-olds and upward; one mile and three-quarters, over seven hurdles.

Stakes for Louisville Jockey Club. DUISVILLE, KY., Dec. 2.—The New Louisville Jockey Club has announced the stakes for the next spring meeting at Churchill Downs, beginning May and continuing fifteen days. Even stakes will be run, including the Derby, 16,000; Clark stake, 14,000, and Kentucky Oaks, 13,000, which have been closed. The remaining eight stakes close on January 15, and are as follows:

Wenomah stakes, 2-year-old colts, four and a half Debutante stakes, 2-year-old filles, 4 furlongs, 11,300. Wenomah stakes, 2-year-old colts, 41/2 furlongs, \$1,390. Juvenile stakes, 2-year-olds, 5 furlongs, selling. 1,300.

Bluegrass stakes, 3-year-olds, \$1/2 furlangs, \$1,300.

Mademoiselle stakes, 3-year-old filles, selling. 31,250
Premier stakes, 3-year-olds, 1 mile, \$1,300.
Prank Fehr stakes, 3-year-olds and upward, selling,
1 mile, 1,300.
Turf Congress handicap, 3-year-olds and upward,
1 1-16 miles, \$1,000 added.

Shooting Tourney at Olathe. OLATHE, KAS., Dec. 2.—(Special.) A shooting tournament has been arranged for December 19 in this city by the Olathe Gun Club, open to Kansas and Missouri only, J. A. R. Elliott being barred. The principal event has been arranged by Devenny, champion live bird shot of Kansas, for fitty live birds, besides entrance. Fifty dollars has been added by the citizens of Olathe.

CHICAGO THE WINNER

DEFEATED WISCONSIN IN A GREAT FOOTBALL GAME.

taggs' Men Piled Up 17 Points, and the Maroons Were Blanked-Was One of the Best Games of the Year.

MADISON WIS Dec 9 -The Western football hampionship goes to Chicago. Before at least 12,000 copie the eleven of the University of Chicago to-day feated the University of Wisconsin team by a score

Finished First in the Great New York Bicycle Race. NEW YORK, Dec. 9 .- Charles Miller, of Chicago the long distance champion bleycle rider of the world, and Frank Waller, the Flying Dutchman, night last Sunday at Madison Square garden. They finished at 19 to-night, first by two laps, with 2.733 2-5 miles to their credit. Otto Maya, of Eric, Pa., and Archie McEachern, the Canadian, were Pa., and Archie McKachern, the Canadian, were second. Louis Grimm, of Pittsburg, and Burns Pierce, of Boston, were third, one lap behind the second men. Fisher and Chevalier, the Frenchmen, were fourth, only two laps behind, and Earl D. Stevens, of Buffalo, and Charley Turville, were fifth, separated from the Frenchmen by two laps. The scores were:

Miller-Waller



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\$25.00 each. We are selling Meerschaums at cost. Keep a nice zinc lined, fancy wooden box full of Havanas on your mantel and your husband will come home early to smoke, you know. We have them; prices, \$1.50 to \$10.00 each. Look at our fine line of Turkish Smoking Tobacco. Call at our store and you are sure to see something you want, and if you don't want, we will give you a Lucke Roll. If you can't come in we will mail them to you.

Wilson & Twyman,

of Nelson. On the second lap, however, he tacked onto his own pace, and passed Nelson in the third mile. From this out Ross gained, and at the finish was nearly a lap ahead.

KANSAS CITY BADLY BEATEN. Bowlers Who Went to St. Joseph Lost

by a Score of 2,586 to 2,462. ST. JOSEPH, MO., Dec. 9 .- (Special.) The first of Missouri was won to-night by St. Joseph, defeat ing Kansas City by a score of 2.586 to 2.462. The next of the series will be played in Kansas City, probably December 24. To-night's score:

KANSAS CITY ALL STARS. Fariey 132 143 Laidlaw 169 167 114 Roeder 157 165 196 Barse 157 294 166 Total, 2,482; average, 492 DONOVAN ALL-STARS. TO PLAY IN CONVENTION HALL.

and Tigers Will Probably Meet Christmas Day.

COLUMBIA, MO., Dec. 9.-(Special.) It is now about settled that the Tigers will play the Kansas City Medics on Christmas day in Convention hall. The Missouri second eleven is also making arrangements to have a game in Sedalia, with some

Manager Rothwell, of the Tigers, arrived here yes-terday to make arrangements for Christmas game. He said last night that the final arrangements for the contest had not been made, but believed that the Medics and Tigers would meet in the big hall.

Boxing and Wrestling in Frisco. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 9.—The Olympic Club of this city is arranging for a boxing and wrestling ournament, which will be held on or about February 15. The rules of the Amateur Athletic Union will govern the matches. Invitations have been sent to govern the matters, mylatious are been sent to the following athletic clubs to participate in the con-tests: New York Athletic Club, Knickerbocker Ath-letic Club, Pastime Athletic Club, New York and Boston Athletic Club, Chicago Athletic Club, Denver Athletic Club, Baltimore Athletic Club, Multinomah Athletic Club, Portland, Ore., and the Los Angeles

A Seventy-Second Mill. NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Spike Sullivan knocked of Darrell in 70 seconds at the Greenwood Athlet lub, Brooklyn, to-night. Puffs From the Pipe.

Rube Waddell took his life in his hands and playe oothall with the Butler, Pa., team on Thanksgivin

who are scheduled to do battle in New York city in the near future, leave for the East to-day. Moffatt will meet George Gardner, one of Tom O'Rourke's proteges, in a twenty-five gound contest before the Broadway Athletic Cito Tuesday night. On the Inight of December 22 Forbes is scheduled to meet Terry McGovern in a contest the limit of which has been set at twenty rounds.

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According to reports received from the East, Joe Walcott's next opponent will be Joe Choynski. The heavyweight is in Chicago at the present time, working at a North side "gym." and those who have seen him on the scales aver that he weighs only about 157 pounds. If this is true a match between Walcott and Choynski would prove an even proposition, unless the colored man should happen to reach Choynski's law early in the fight.

Harry Pulliam, president of the Louisville baseball club, arrived at Louisville from Pittsburg yesterday. To a reporter he said: "If we cannot dispose of our interests at the league meeting next week we will continue in the game. We would prefer to sell out, but not at a sacrifice. We will have material for a pretty good team. With Billy Clingman as manager. I think it would receive the support of the public. Of course, it would not be the \$10,000 team we carried last year. That was too expensive for us with the patronage we received at home."

A Pessimist. rom the Melbourne Weekly Times. Tommy—"Pa, what is a pessimist?"

Mr. Figg—"He is a man who of two evils prefers both."

POLICE PICKINGS.

William Samuels, an escaped prisoner from Boon-ille, Mo., reform school, was arrested here for Boot-S. T. Anderson was arrested yesterday afternoon by Police Officer Webster, of station No. 4, charged with selling policy tickets. He was observed by the officer selling them on East Eighteenth street.

A telegram was received from Jefferson City, stating that an officer from Illinois would be in the city to take Andrew Carr back to the reformatory at Menard, Ili. Carr was a prisoner at the reformatory at Menard, Ili. Carr was a prisoner at the reformatory at Menard, Illinois off his feet, and came to Kansas City, where he was arrested.

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A. Kleinhover, who was arrested a few days ago for striking a man named Charles Keiler over the head with a het, was discharged in the police court yesterday and 'namediately arrested on a state warrant. He was arraigned before Justice Spitz, and his hearing set for Monday. He was released on bond.

FORMER GOVERNOR OF OHIO SAYS SILVER IS ALL THAT'S LEFT.

Makes a Flying Visit to Kansas City and Talks Entertainingly on Various Topics of

"Mark Hanna? ha, ha," laughed a man of many ex's seated in the center of a group of admiring friends at the Coates House "Mark Hanna is a much abused man, who improves wonderfully upon acquaintance." The speaker was charles Foster, Fostoria

O., former governor of the Buck-eye state, secretary of the treasunder President Harrison and for many years a familiar figure in and for many years a familiar figure in congress. He bears his 72 years well, has the cheery, ringing laugh of a man a score of years his junior and is an entertaining conversationalist. Good nature and affability are his chief characteristics and to such an extreme did he carry this trait of character last night in chatting with a group of men, many of whom he had never seen before, that he almost missed an en-

group of men, many of whom he had never seen before, that he almost missed an engagement with Major Warner, who is one of his oid-time friends.

A question regarding the personality of the new senator from Ohio aroused the risibilities of the ex-governor and he proceeded to enlarge upon the mistaken idea which the public has of Mark Hanna.

"Why, according to the cartoons in the Democratic papers Mr. Hanna is a very ugly old devil, and people are agreeably surprised when they first see him. Not long ago I went out with him for a little campaigning. It was his first effort at speechmaking, and to say he did very creditably is putting it mildly; he fairly took the audiences by storm. Senator Hanna has been a practical business man all his life, and he is not an orator in any sense of the word, but when he got started at speechmaking he showed a surprising control over his audiences and they greedily called for more. They were not content with hearing Hanna in the hall, but he had to talk to them on the outside after the meeting; there were cheers for Hanna and cheers again, and then everybody wanted to shake hands with him. That is the real Mark Hanna and not the caricature of the opposition press.

"President McKinley," continued the veteran statesman, "well, sir, President McKinley is the luckiest man God ever created. How do I make that out? It is simple. Before he became famous William McKinley was a man of one idea, a protectionist in the strongest sense of the term. His tariff measure was drawn up and passed, and then came the repeal and the substitution of the Wilson bill, and in its wake a period of depression which has never been equaled in the history of the country.

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"Again there came a time for the nomination of candidates for the presidency. The issue was the tariff, and naturally the choice of the party fell upon William Mc-Kinley, the great apostie of protection. The campaign was started upon the tariff issue, but the Democrats, cleverly enough, turned attention toward the money question, and upon that issue the campaign was fought and lost to them. William Mc-Kinley is still the logical candidate of the party, and as for the Democrats—well, their candidate is already nominated and—well, I might say, the election is over as far as he is concerned. tion of candidates for the presidency. The

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"A queer thing happened to me when I first went to congress—let's see—it was in 60. I think. I was standing in the corridor one day when I saw a man on the opposite side whom I took to be my uncle. I walked over to him and we shook hands. He said his name was Foster, but I knew the minute I got near him that he wasn't my uncle, nor was he a known relative. He was from the South, and, as luck would have it, we were both placed on the same committee, but for the life of me I could never trace a particle of relationship between us. He must have been related, though for he looked remarkably like my uncle. But I must be going or I won't get to see Major Warner."

Governor Foster arrived here late yesterday afternoon from Southern Kansas, where he is interested in lead and zinc mines. He stopped in Kansas City for the night, en route to St. Louis, because he cannot sleep well when traveling, he explained.

Columbian Knights' Officers,

Kansas City lodge, No. 72, of the order of Columbian Knights, elected the following officers for the next year: President, G. S. Beedle; vice president, E. C. McLain; crator, P. H. Klinger; collector, J. A. Boppart: treasurer, Joseph Thompson; chaplain, A. W. Grayson; guide, F. W. Johnson; warden, A. L. Baum; sentry, C. C. Bahret; trustees, L. Silck and E. A. King.

Cooper Medical Co.



Soon after graduating from one of the best medical colleges in the world (over a quarter of a century ago), I became convinced of the importance of special study and attention to the much-dreaded and health-destroying diseases of the Genito-Urinary Organs and Blood and Skin Diseases.

It was generally conceded by the profession that the failure of success in the treatment of these diseases was due to the fact that they had not received enough attention and were not understood by the regular practitioner. Having decided to adopt the treatment of these diseases as my specialty, I went to New York and associated myself with the prominent men of that city who had made them their life study. I also connected myself with the largest venereal hospitals of the world, spending over five years in special study and work, receiving certificates from the leading Institutions of the East, including the Bellevue Hospital, the Post Graduate and Polyclinic Colleges of New York, obtaining an experience that cannot be acquired by the ordinary practitioner.

I have devoted my life to the study and practice of my specialty and have een successful in restoring to health and vigor many cases that were in the most serious condition and had passed through all classes and methods of treatment without benefit. Your failure to be cured by others is no valid argument against my treatment.

I claim advantages in treatment of diseases coming under my specialty ver other physicians. No honest man need go without the treatment that will effect his complete and permanent cure. The poorest can have the benefit of my experience. Many suffer because the means of cure are beyond their reach, My treatment, with special advice to suit each particular case, is positively within the reach of every suffering invalid. I treat and guarantee to cure the following described diseases:

Varicocele.

Whatever may be the cause of varieocele, its injurious effects are too well known for extended comment. Suffice to say that it depresses the mind weakens the body, racks the nervous system and ultimately leads to a complete loss of sexual power. If you are a victim of this dire disease, come to my office and let me explain to you my process of treating it. Under my treatment the patient improves from the very beginning. The pools of stagnant blood are forced from the dilated veins, which repidly assume their normal size, strength as soundness. All indications of disease and weakness vanish completely, and in their stead come the pride, the power and the pleasures of perfect health and restored manhood.

NEFVOUS DEDIMLY.

Men, many of you are now reaping the result of your former folly. Your manhood is failing, and will soon be lost unless you do something for your sexual diseases, is never on the standstill. With it you can make no compromise. Either you must make no compromise. All indications of disease and weakness vanish completely, and in their stead come the pride, the power and the pleasures of perfect health and restored manhood.

Stricture.

It matters not how long you have suffered from Stricture, nor how many different doctors have disappointed you, I will cure you just as certainly as you come to me for treatment. I will not do it by cutting or dilating. My treatment is new, entirely original with upe, and perfectly painless. It completely dissolves the Stricture and permanently removes every obstruction from the urinary passage. It stops every unnatural discharge, allays all inflammation, reduces the pressing sland when enlarged

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